

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

The City Of Augusta

Proclamation

IN RECOGNITION of the dedication of the Family Life Center of Hudson Memorial Christian Methodist Episcopal Church wherein the congregation is led by Dr. Gwendolyn B. Smith, Pastor

WHEREAS, the Hudson Memorial C.M.E. Church was founded in April 1945 under the leadership of the Rev. R.L. Sullivan, Pastor; and

WHEREAS, the officers and members of this congregation are confesses believers in the Triune (God the Father, Son and Holy Spirit) and function under the Wholeness of Methodism of John Wesley and the Discipline of the C.M.E. Church; and

WHEREAS, this congregation believes the inner city of Augusta, Georgia, to be a mission field crying out for bold new creative ways of witnessing, and so, therefore, are called to a deeper involvement in family and neighborhood life; and

WHEREAS, the Hudson Memorial C.M.E. Church has a history of service to this community through missionaries and stewardships, now bound together for the dedication of the Hudson Memorial Family Life Center.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Bob Young, Mayor of the City of Augusta, do hereby proclaim April 25, 2004, as "HUDSON MEMORIAL C.M.E. CHURCH DAY" in Augusta, Georgia, in recognition of the dedication of its Family Life Center and 59 years of service to this community.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of Augusta, Georgia, to be affixed this 25th day of April 2004.

Mayor